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ILLINOIS POWER COMPANY)
d/b/a AmerenIP)
and AMEREN ILLINOIS)
TRANSMISSION COMPANY)

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Docket No. 06-0706

Petition for a Certificate of Public)
Convenience and Necessity, pursuant to)
Section 8-406 of the Illinois Public)
Utilities Act, to construct, operate, and)
Maintain new 138,000 volt electric lines)
In LaSalle County, Illinois)

PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to 83 Ill. Admin. Code § 200.200, Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder individually, by and through their attorney, John L. Cantlin, of John L. Cantlin & Associates, petition the Illinois Commerce Commission for leave to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding. In support of their petition, Robert B. and Linda J. Dolder state:

1. On November 1, 2006 Illinois Power Company, d/b/a AmerenIP and Ameren Illinois Transmission Company ("Ameren Transco") filed a Petition requesting a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct, operate, and maintain two new 138kV electric transmission lines and new substation facilities in the Ottawa, Marseilles and Wedron areas of LaSalle County, Illinois.

2. The Petition seeks approval from the Illinois Commerce Commission to construct, operate and maintain a new 138kV electric transmission line from Ameren's existing Ottawa substation to the new Wedron Fox River Substation, which Ameren refers to as the "LaSalle-Wedron Line". The Alternate Route #1 selected by Ameren for the LaSalle-Wedron Line would cut across several acres of prime agricultural land.

3. Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder possess ownership interests and/or other rights of possession and use in certain parcels of real estate located in LaSalle County, Illinois

that fall within and/or directly adjacent to the primary route Ameren has selected for the proposed LaSalle-Wedron Line.

4. Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder possess ownership interests and/or other rights of possession and use in certain parcels of real estate located in LaSalle County, Illinois that fall within and/or directly adjacent to the alternate route Ameren has selected for the proposed LaSalle-Wedron Line.

4. Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder have an interest in the subject matter of this proceeding and will be directly and materially affected by the construction of the LaSalle-Wedron Line as currently proposed.

5. The interests of Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder cannot be adequately represented by any other party in this proceeding.

6. Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder are aware that Section 200.200(e) of the Commission's rules of Practice provides that an intervenor shall accept the status of the record as it exists at the time of the intervenor's intervention.

7. The contact information for Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder is:

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8. Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder, individually, seek to intervene in the above captioned proceeding, be treated as parties, and will accept service by electronic means as provided for in 53 Ill. Admin. Code Section 200.20(a). Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder request that service in this proceeding should be directed to its attorneys listed below, and that its attorneys be added to the service list in this proceeding:

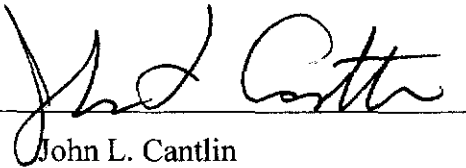
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WHEREFORE, Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder, individually, pray that the Commission will grant this Petition for Leave to Intervene and that they will be treated as parties to this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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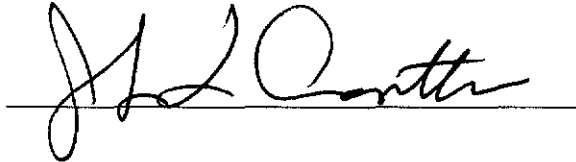
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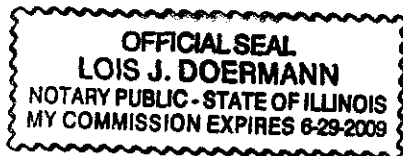
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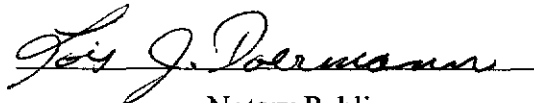
VERIFICATION

I, John L. Cantlin, first being duly sworn upon my oath, depose, and state that I am one of the attorneys for Robert B. Dolder and Linda J. Dolder, individually, that I have read the above and foregoing Petition to Intervene and believe the contents are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



Subscribed and sworn before me this 31st day of January, 2007.




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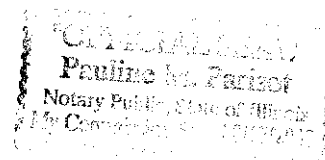
PROOF OF SERVICE

The undersigned, sworn on oath, states that he served a copy of the foregoing ENTRY OF APPEARANCE on all attorneys of record in said case by mailing said copies, postage prepaid, to their respective addresses listed below on the Service List from the Post Office in Ottawa, Illinois on 31st day of January, 2007.

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Subscribed to and sworn before me
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**AFFIDAVIT PURSUANT TO RULE 222(B) OF
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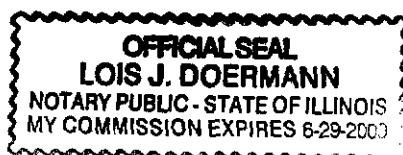
John L. Cantlin, being first duly sworn upon his oath, states and deposes as follows:

1. He is an adult, under no legal disability, with personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein, and if called to testify as to said matters, would testify competently to said matters; he is an attorney, licensed to practice law in the State of Illinois; and he has been so licensed since
2. He is the owner of John L. Cantlin & Associates, the law firm retained by Gary Dau and Jean Dau and he is authorized by Gary Dau and Jean Dau to provide this Affidavit in compliance with Rule 222 (b) of the *Rules of the Supreme Court of Illinois*.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAITH NOT.


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Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 31st day of January, 2007.




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